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不合理な試験

HATES  
TO RIDE  
IN ANYTHING  
OTHER THAN  
A CAR.

MAO MANAKA

NOTE: NICHAN = ELDER BROTHER

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You're  
alright,  
right?  
Mao...

WE'RE  
ALMOST  
THERE!

HEY!  
NICHAN!  
WAKE  
UP!

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IF YOU  
STILL WANT  
TO BE AN  
FI DRIVER,  
YOU NEED  
TO GO TO  
TOKYO!



BUT YOU'LL  
NEED TO PASS  
A TEST IN ORDER  
TO BE FULLY  
ACCEPTED.

A FRIEND OF  
MINE RUNS A  
SCHOOL FOR  
RACERS IN  
OKUTAMA.

I'VE ALREADY  
PASSED ALONG  
MY RECOMMEN-  
DATION THAT  
YOU BE  
ADMITTED.  
I...

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GODSPEED!

AS LONG  
AS YOU DON'T  
DO ANYTHING  
STUPID, LIKE  
BEING LATE  
ON THE EXAM  
DAY, I'M SURE  
YOU'LL MAKE  
IT IN.







THERE'S  
A CIRCUIT  
IN THE  
SCHOOL!

AWE-  
GOME!

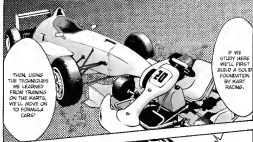


FRS,  
FORMULA  
RACING  
SCHOOL,  
IS A SCHOOL  
FOR YOUNG  
RACERS WHICH  
WAS FOUNDED  
THROUGH  
THE JOINT  
EFFORT OF A  
NUMBER OF  
AUTOMOTIVE  
COMPANIES.

THERE  
ARE OTHER  
SCHOOLS LIKE  
IT, BUT THIS IS  
THE BIGGEST  
BY FAR.

I HEAR  
THIS SCHOOL  
HAS SEVERAL  
OTHER TRACKS  
BEHIND THIS  
ONE, TOO.

YEAH,  
IT'S  
PRETTY  
AWE-  
DING.





COMPLETE  
TO GET IN.

MANY TERRIFIC  
RACERS THAT  
ORDINARILY  
COULDN'T  
PARTICIPATE IN  
THE HIGHER  
LEVELS OF  
RACING DUE  
TO THEIR  
FINANCES  
OR OTHER  
REASONS



I FEEL LIKE  
THERE'S  
SOMETHING  
WRONG WITH  
YOUR PLAN,  
BUT YOU  
SOUND SO  
COOL!

THAT'S WHY I  
PURPOSEFULLY  
CAME LATE SO I  
CAN STAND OUT  
FROM THE  
CROWD!



I'M CERTAIN  
THAT I DON'T  
HAVE ENOUGH  
CONFIDENCE  
AND CAPABILITY  
TO BEAT  
THEM.

...because I do have  
enough confidence.



LET'S  
MAKE A  
LOUD  
ENTRANCE...

AND  
SHOW  
THEM WHO  
THE REAL  
RACERS  
ARE!



BUT  
WE  
CAN'T  
BE  
LIKE  
THEM!

LOOK!

THEY'RE  
ALL  
FORMING  
A LINE!





FBI EXAMINER  
KAGURU ISANAWA

AREN'T  
YOU  
LATE?



PLEASE  
FORGIVE  
ME

THE  
PERSON  
BEHIND ME  
COLLAPSED  
ON THE  
STREET DUE  
TO A STOMACH  
ACID. I HAD  
TO STOP AND  
HELP

WHAT  
DID YOU  
SAY?





I'M SURE  
THAT MOST OF  
YOU WILL NOT  
GRADUATE.

IF YOU  
MANAGE TO  
PASS THIS  
FINAL TEST,  
AND BECOME  
A STUDENT  
HERE, YOU WILL  
HAVE A TORCH  
ROAD AHEAD  
OF YOU. I'M NOT  
SURE THAT ALL  
OF YOU WILL  
GRADUATE.

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AFTER THREE  
TWO YEARS, ONLY  
TWO OF YOU  
WILL REMAIN.

AND THEN  
FORMULA  
CAR RACING  
FOR ONE  
YEAR.

AT THIS  
SCHOOL,  
YOU WILL BE  
TAUGHT HOW  
TO RACE FOR  
ONE YEAR.



"WINNING  
THE F1  
SERIES."

THE TRUE  
PURPOSE OF  
THIS SCHOOL  
IS TO SELECT  
THE INDIVIDUALS  
WHO ACTUALLY  
HAVE THE ABILITY  
TO MAKE THAT  
DREAM A  
REALITY!



WILL BE  
REMOVED  
FROM THIS  
SCHOOL.

THOSE  
WHO DO NOT  
SHOW THAT  
ABILITY...



**"BE THE  
FASTEST."**  
IN THIS PLACE,  
NOT BEING FAST  
ENOUGH IS AIN  
TO DEATH.

SO,  
ACTUALLY,  
THERE IS  
ONLY ONE  
THING THAT  
YOU MUST  
DO WHILE  
YOU'RE  
HERE...



THE TEST  
WILL BEGIN  
SHORTLY.

PLEASE  
CHANGE INTO  
YOUR RACING  
SUITS AND  
MEET BACK  
HERE.



I-I'M  
SORRY.

AS  
LONG AS  
YOU DON'T  
FORGET  
THAT RULE,  
YOU'RE FREE  
TO COME  
UP LATE  
OR EVEN  
GO HOME  
EARLY.



WHY??

YOU DON'T HAVE  
A RACING  
SLUIT?



更衣室  
Locker Room



NO.

I'VE  
NEVER  
BEEN IN A  
RACE  
BEFORE

THEN  
WHAT DO  
YOU USUALLY  
WEAR WHEN  
YOU RACE?

you've had to  
have a head motion  
right?



WHY??  
WHY??

you wear  
a special  
helmet  
called a  
sluit.

JUST  
GO HOME  
NOW.



A LONG  
TIME AGO  
SOMEONE  
GAVE ME A  
HART AND  
THIS RACING  
HELMET.

SINCE  
THEN I'VE  
ONLY USED  
THEM IN THE  
FIELD NEAR  
MY HOUSE.  
THAT'S WHY  
I DON'T HAVE  
A SPECIAL  
SLUIT.



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THERE'S  
A LETTER  
NEXT TO THE  
NUMBER THAT'S  
ON THE BACK  
OF YOUR  
SUIT.

THOSE  
WITH THE  
SAME LETTER  
WILL GROUPED  
TOGETHER AND  
EACH GROUP  
WILL HAVE 20  
MEMBERS.



OH, I SEE...

THAT  
MEANS  
I'M IN  
GROUP B



HERE'S  
HOW THE  
RACE WILL  
WORK.



AFTER  
THE TIME  
TRIAL, YOU  
WILL START  
A 20 LAP  
RACE.

PARTICIPANTS  
THAT FINISH  
LAST WILL BE  
DISQUALIFIED  
IMMEDIATELY.

BECAUSE THE  
TRACK HAS  
INTENTIONALLY  
BEEN COVERED  
WITH WATER.

THIS  
PARTICU-  
LAR RACE  
WILL BE  
SLIGHTLY  
DIFFERENT  
FROM WHAT  
YOU'RE  
USED TO.



FINALLY...  
AND THIS IS THE  
MOST IMPORTANT  
PART, SO PLEASE  
PAY CLOSE  
ATTENTION...

THE SCHOOL  
HAS PROVIDED  
RACING KARTS  
WITH THE SAME  
SPECIFICATIONS  
FOR YOU TO USE.





WHILE THE  
REMAINING  
KART IS  
EQUIPPED  
WITH SLICK  
TIRES.

19 OF THE  
20 KARTS  
ARE EQUIPPED  
WITH RAIN  
TIRES...



OH,  
I FORGOT TO  
MENTION ONE  
MORE RULE  
THAT YOU  
CAN BE DIS-  
QUALIFIED  
FROM THE  
RACE.



ANYBODY WHOSE  
VOLUNTEER TO  
USE SLICK TIRES IN  
THEIR CARTS  
WILL BE DIS-  
QUALIFIED.

And anyone who  
volunteers to use slick tires  
will be disqualified.

ANYBODY  
WHO WANTS  
TO USE  
SLICK TIRES  
ON A RACE  
CART?

THE FIRST  
PERSON  
TO CHOOSE  
THE KART  
WITH THE  
SLICK TIRES  
WILL GET TO  
USE IT.

BUT IF  
NO ONE  
IS WILLING  
THE PERSON  
WHO USES  
TO USE THE  
SLICK TIRES  
WILL BE  
SELECTED VIA  
A RANDOM  
DRAWING.



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BY FINISHING  
BEHIND THE  
PARTICIPANT  
WHO USES  
SLICK TIRES.



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